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In the application of:

Richard C. Sayers, et al.

Serial No.: 10/723,641

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Art Unit: 3754
Examiner: Phillippe S. Derakshani

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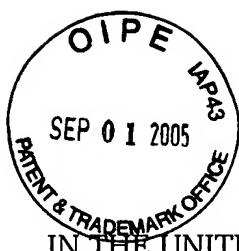
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AMENDMENT A

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated July 14, 2005, the Applicants, through their attorney, respond as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.